

Town and County.

Mrs. Martha A. Little, aged 51 years, mother of Mrs. M. E. Wilson, died Sunday morning at the residence of Mr. Wm. Roth, at Fulton, east of Wheeling, of apoplexy. Thursday night she received in her usual health, and about 4 o'clock awakened the Roth family by her groans. Dr. Samuel Jepson was called, and did all in his power for her, but to no avail. She lay in an unconscious condition until 6 o'clock Sunday morning, when she died. She was a member of the M. E. Church—a devoted Christian, a kind and loving mother, and a generous neighbor. Mrs. M. E. Wilson, of this place, and Mrs. Richard Starr, of Parkersburg, W. Va., are her only children living. Her husband died here about four years ago. B. R. Johnston took charge of the remains and brought them here on Monday. Funeral occurred from M. E. Wilson's residence Monday afternoon; interment Union cemetery.

On Friday evening the St. Clairsville Council met in adjourned session to consider the matter of water supply for the village in case of fire. A resolution looking to the issue of bonds in a sum not to exceed \$25,000 was passed, the money to be used in digging out a sum not to exceed \$25,000 for the purchase of a hand fire engine, hook and ladder truck, hose, gun buckets, etc. As the matter could not be brought before the voters at the general spring election, the time being too short to give the required 30 days' notice, the Solicitor was instructed to prepare a bill to be sent to Representative McKelvey, requesting its passage by the Ohio Legislature, authorizing Council to order a special election on the proposition of issuing bonds as above.

At the municipal Republican primaries in Martin's Ferry, Saturday, M. C. Mitchell was an easy winner in the Mayoralty contest over Jesse W. Phoebe, receiving 401 votes to 229 for his competitor. Mr. Mitchell is a hustler from away back, whose influence is always exerted in favor of Republican policy. He is none of the Mugwump variety, and is entitled to the hearty good will and vote of every Republican.

The Commissioners of Monroe county, says the Spirit, at their session last week, decided to pay owners of sheep killed by dogs at the price listed for taxation, and not that fixed by the appraisers. Much dissatisfaction was caused by this order of the Board, and several parties whose cases were passed upon during the session refused to accept the amount allowed them. Just how it will end remains to be seen.

An old folks concert will be given at Court House Hall Friday evening, March 30. The music of the olden times will be sung—songs, duets, and choruses—by the best singers of the town and neighborhood, arrayed in the apparel of one hundred years ago. The net proceeds will be given to the churches of the town. The entertainment promises to be an enjoyable one.

The large new court house bell, weighing about 1,400 pounds was hoisted to its place in the tower, under the superintendence of the contractor, E. E. McKelvey, on Friday, and sounded its first notes about 4 o'clock. The bell has a deep and mellow cathedral tone. It is said that it was heard at East Richmond, 3 miles, with the wind blowing in the opposite direction.

Col. J. M. Lewis, of Barnesville, is being favorably spoken of as a suitable person for one of the delegates from this Congress district to the Chicago convention. The Colonel is a representative business man, who would creditably represent the district and would size up with any man likely to attend the convention.

The following Belmont county people were granted pensions last week: Michael A. Little, Belaire; Samuel Henry, Thomas Cassidy, Bridgeport; Jonathan Jackson, Armstrong's Mills; Sarah A. Scott, mother of John C. Scott, Morristown; William Weathering, father of Jos. H. Weathering, Belaire.

J. P. Hall, of this office, has been awarded the contract for lettering the doors in the new Court House. He will use the patent glazier self-adhesive letters, which are very pretty, and are said to be durable.

A company of Wheeling and Eastern capitalists, has about completed arrangements to run a new natural gas pipe line to Wheeling. The principal manufacturers of that city are interested parties.

John Cochran, an old settler of Pease township, died at his home near Martin's Ferry on Saturday, aged 90 years. Funeral on Monday; interment in family burying ground on the farm.

Mrs. Isaac Reinhardt, a widow lady residing about four miles from Barnesville, was found dead in bed on Sunday night, supposed to have died from heart disease.

In the Common Pleas Court on Tuesday Mrs. Sarah J. Shuttlesworth, of Belaire, was given a verdict of \$800 against Wm. Knack for selling liquor to her husband.

Try No. 110. We don't care how many plows you take out on trial, if you will try our No. 110. It will cost you nothing, unless you conclude it is just the plow you want.

The Arthur Rogers farm, near Morristown, containing 240 acres, was sold on Thursday last for \$10,000 to Mrs. Martha Brown, one of the heirs.

Wm. Boyce, former manager of the bottle works at Belaire, has been chosen manager of the new factory at Little Washington, Pa.

There are few disappointments equal to that a person experiences who gets ready for a sneeze and then discovers that he can't.

One reason for the increased attendance at Franklin College, New Athens, Ohio; boarding, room, and books, \$1.62 per week.

Stewart Morrow, a pioneer citizen of Warren township residing near Barnesville, died on Friday evening, aged 84 years.

Farm for rent—Containing 106 acres, a part of 2 miles northeast of St. Clairsville, a party to Hiram Bostorf.

The Jefferson Literary Society, of Franklin College, will hold its biennial public society in the U. P. Church, New Athens, on Friday, March 23. Music will be furnished by the Georgetown Cornet Band. Among those who are to take part in the exercises are N. C. Nichols, of Morristown, who will read an essay entitled "The Ethical and Aesthetic of the Drama," original oration, subject, "The Drama of the World's Progress." Debate, question—"Should the Propagation of Anarchy be Prohibited by Law?" Affirm, R. M. Gordon, Demos, Ohio; Deny, G. E. Henderson, New Athens.

Among other business transacted by the Commissioners at their March session, was the levying of 6 cents on each hundred dollars of valuation for the bridge fund. About \$14,000 will be realized from this levy.

Sheep claims were presented amounting to \$1,282 25, and allowed in the sum of \$1,251 45—less \$128 25 witness fees.

The petition of John W. Neff and others for road down Trough Run, was disallowed because of the cost of the road, and on the ground that the petitioners do not reside in the vicinity of the proposed road.

Uriah R. Noling, who had been a resident of this county from early boyhood, died after a brief illness from pneumonia, at his home in Jacobsburg, Wednesday of last week, in the 69th year of his age. Deceased was a faithful member of the Bethel Presbyterian Church, and was highly esteemed as a good neighbor and citizen. A wife, daughter and three sons are bereft. The funeral took place Thursday, Revs. Alexander and Eicher conducting religious services. Interment at the M. E. Cemetery, Jacobsburg.

Commissioner Berry's little daughter, Gertrude, aged about 13, came near meeting with a serious accident on Tuesday morning. While standing in front of the gate her clothing took fire, and but for the immediate assistance of her father, who was near by, she would have been burned to death. Mr. Berry had his left hand badly burned in his efforts to save his child, and in consequence was unable to be present at the meetings of the Commissioners the fore part of the week.

We have sold Ely's Cream Balm about three years, and have recommended it in more than a hundred special cases of catarrh. The unanimous answer to our inquiries is: "It is the best remedy that I have ever used." Our experience is, that where parties continued its use, it never fails to cure. J. H. Montgomery & Co., druggists, Beulah, Iowa. I have used Ely's Cream Balm for dry catarrh (to which eastern persons are subject who come to live here). It has proved a cure. —B. F. M. Weeks, Denver, Col., 3-15-2.

Thomas Galloway, a farmer of Smith township, made an assignment last week to Alex. Porterfield, for the benefit of creditors. The assets consist of a small amount of personal property and a farm of 97 acres, for which he went in debt when it was purchased. The mortgage liens amount to \$2,912, with considerable interest.

The building committee of the Presbyterian Church at Kirkwood, have contracted with O'Neil & Finch, of Hannibal, for the erection of their new church, to be completed by October 1, ready for the pews, at a cost of \$12,650. The building will be of brick with stone trimmings, 55 by 97 feet, with a tower 120 feet high.

The Presbyterian Church choir of Bridgeport has arranged for a series of parlor concerts, the proceeds of which will be applied to the purchase of a fine pipe organ for the new church when completed. The first concert of the series is to be given at the residence of Ross J. Alexander, Esq., to-morrow (Friday) evening.

Read the advertisement of "The Richmond Furnace," C. M. Cole, Barnesville, agent. These Furnaces are comparatively inexpensive, and are being introduced into many business houses and private residences. A large amount of comfort may be extracted from the use of these heaters. Investigate the matter.

The Wheeling Intelligence appeared in an entire new outfit Monday. Its appearance is characteristic of the uniform good taste that has always distinguished that paper. We extend to our neighbors congratulations on the excellence of their Daily, and its increasing prosperity.

The United Presbyterian Church of Belaire is having a glorious revival. Eighteen new members—fifteen on profession of faith—were received on Sabbath. The meetings are still in progress.

Miss Martha Caldwell, an estimable young lady of Belaire, who for a number of years was clerk in the Post-office in that city, died from consumption on Sunday.

Burglars visited the residence of Mr. John DuBois, Belaire, Sunday night. They ransacked all the rooms on the first floor, and carried away \$23.75 in cash.

Attention is directed to the announcement of the County Republican Committee, in our advertising columns.

The South Bend Reversible Share No. 110 is the very latest and the very best general-purpose Plow made. Call and let us tell you about it. Geo. Jepson.

City Solicitor Pearson, of Belaire, declines to be a candidate for reelection. He has made a faithful officer.

The citizens of Uhrichville and Denison have subscribed for forty telephones, securing an exchange.

Harvey Bowen is to succeed Brice Stewart in the management of the Woods House, Pownalltown.

Send to the CHRONICLE office for your township tickets—500 for \$1, or 25 cents per hundred.

Pinkie maple molasses can't be made from Orleans pines.

The County Commissioners adjourned their March session yesterday.

On Tuesday evening, a number of ladies met at the house of George Jepson, and organized a County Committee upon Woman's Work for the Ohio Centennial.

The following ladies were elected officers: Mrs. Thos. Balph, Pres.; Mrs. A. T. McKelvey, Mrs. Geo. Brown, Vice Pres.; Miss Clara Alexander, Rec. Sec.; Mrs. L. H. Watters, Cor. Sec'y.

The object is to secure articles of woman's work suitable for exhibition at Ohio's Centennial Exposition at Columbus. The different departments embrace Art, Literature, Education, the Professions, Benevolence, Reforms, Science, Invention, Floriculture and Horticulture, Domestic Life, Art Industries, and Pioneer Woman's Department.

The committee desires the hearty co-operation of every lady in the county, and will be glad to correspond with any one interested in the work.

At the Republican primaries held in Belaire, on Saturday, considerable interest was shown and a pretty full vote polled. The contest was principally confined to the Mayoralty, and the present incumbent, Capt. Brown, won easily, carrying all the wards of the city except the 5th, and electing 16 of the 20 delegates. Assessors were nominated as follows: 1st ward, J. R. Lowman; 2d Frank Jackson; 3d L. F. Battleground; 4th, W. H. Little; 5th, W. B. Smith.

At Flushing on Friday and Saturday evenings, the Dramatic Club rendered the familiar temperance drama "Ten Nights in a Bar Room." All characters in the play were well rendered. The orchestra was one of the pleasing features of the entertainment—it being under the leadership of Mr. P. A. Roberts, of St. Clairsville. The proceeds amounted to \$90, for the benefit of the Band.

Mr. W. I. Brett, of Wheeling, known to many in this place, came near meeting with a serious accident on Monday while superintending the removal of a heavy safe, it got away from the men, and he attempted to stop it and was thrown to the pavement just far enough to one side to be barely missed by the heavy mass of iron which followed him.

The Grand Jury made its final report on Friday morning, and was discharged. In all 97 true bills of indictment were found—20 for felonies, 74 for unlawful sales of liquor and 3 for gambling. Because of the fact that many of the parties indicted were not in custody, the report was not made public.

The installation services of the officers of the new Lodge of Macabees, an insurance organization recently organized at Bridgeport, with forty-eight charter members, occurred in that place Tuesday evening. Forty visiting members from Lorain and other points North were in attendance.

The district congressional committee is called to meet at Belaire on the 16th to consider the matter of calling a congressional convention, either for the purpose of electing district delegates to the Chicago convention or nominating a candidate for Congress or both.

G. E. Hunt, the Dry Goods man, and F. W. Hibbard, Furniture dealer, Barnesville, each have business houses 100 feet deep, 30 feet wide and three stories high, which are admirably heated throughout in the coldest weather, by a "Richmond Furnace" in the cellar.

By bills printed at this office it will be observed that Isaac N. Shepherd, of this place, will sell on Friday 16th inst., a lot of personal property, consisting of horses, farm implements, &c.

Hon. A. T. McKelvey, has sent to this office copies of a number of important bills pending in the Legislature, which may be examined by those interested.

Thomas Savoy, the colored man who took the Toll road from the car at Quincy, was sentenced by Judge Driggs yesterday to five years in the penitentiary.

The contract for erecting a shed for the temporary jail to be used while the new jail is being built, has been awarded to Doersbach & Decher.

A revival meeting which had been in progress for some time in the Christian church Belaire, closed on Sunday evening with 43 conversions.

T. C. Fawcett, the stove and tinware dealer in this place, has sold out his business to B. S. McBride.

Spring election two weeks from next Monday. Republicans should place good tickets in the field.

Sweet flowers. The fairest ladies are often the first to wither, and the ravages of disease make havoc with the beauty, as well as the strength and happiness of the fair sex.

The prevalent disorders among American women are those of a most distressing description. These "weaknesses," as they are suggestively termed, insidiously sap the health, and the patient becomes pale and emaciated, the appetite grows feeble and feeble, and the strength is gradually taken away, and in all degrees of severity, and is all day.

There is relief for all such sufferers in Dr. Pierce's world-famous Favorite Prescription, which cures all "female complaints." Its use is followed by cessation of the "dragging down" pains, return of appetite, and in due time, vigorous health.

This is the passage in the speech of Senator Ingalls that worries a great many delicate people:

"As for myself I would say that the nomination and election of Grover Cleveland had made the pretensions of any American citizen to the Presidency respectable. There is no man in this country whose ignorance so profound, whose obscurity so impenetrable, whose antecedents so degraded that he has not the right to aspire to the Presidential nomination by the Democratic party."

Bucklen's Arnica Salve. The best Salve in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Patterson & Sons, 1-24-2.

All who are annoyed with Smokey Chimneys should try Fawcett's Chimney Top. A large number have been in use for a year or two, and are giving good results. For sale by T. C. Fawcett, St. Clairsville, Ohio.

Linsell Meal for sale at Osborn's.

PERSONAL MENTION.

—Misses Lulu Brown and Jessie Howerton started to Washington City yesterday morning on a ten days visit to friends.

—Dr. J. S. Daif, of Cadiz, who has been taking a post graduate course in New York during the winter, returned on Saturday.

—Mrs. Judge Carroll and daughter, Miss Eleanor, who have been visiting Mrs. Clara Dunn, of Columbus, returned home on Saturday.

—Dr. J. S. Ely, of Barnesville, was in town for the first time for many months on Monday. The Doctor has been sorely afflicted for a good while from sore eyes, but is now much improved.

—Miss Nettie Schaefer, of Pownalltown, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Prof. Watters, for the past month, left on Saturday for Marietta, where she will spend the coming summer.

—Rev. W. H. Campbell has accepted the call to the pastorate of the Presbyterian church at Martin's Ferry.

—Miss Jessie Longley and Miss Annie Steenor are visiting the family of Judge John S. Cochran, at Martin's Ferry.

—Mr. Isaac Hatcher and wife, of Malaga, are on a visit to their daughter, Mrs. Jas. White.

—Capt. W. B. Kirk, of Morristown, was among the visitors in town on Monday.

—A. E. Dent, Cashier of the Peoples' Bank, Barnesville, was among those called to town on business Monday.

—Editor Lockwood, of the Belaire Herald, was in town on Tuesday, and made the CHRONICLE a friendly call, and after making an examination of the office, expressed himself as being well pleased with THE CHRONICLE outfit.

—Judge Driggs spent Sabbath with his family at Woodfield, returning here on Monday morning.

—Col. J. T. Mercer and party, of Belaire, who have been doing Southern California during the past month, returned home Saturday.

—George Troll, of Cambridge, spent Sabbath at his home in this place.

ALL the common branches will be taught in Franklin College, New Athens, Ohio, during the spring term, beginning April 2. Boarding, room and books, \$1.50 per week.

COURT PROCEEDINGS.

Hon. J. B. Briggs, Judge; W. B. Cash, Clerk; O. E. Foulke, Sheriff.

In the matter of the United Presbyterian Church of St. Clairsville, O.; decree authorizing Trustees to sell real estate.

Local Union No. 15 American Flint Glass Workers' Union of Martin's Ferry, O.; vs. Isaac R. Fowler. Judgment by default for \$482.86.

Joseph Lee vs. Marshall C. Burgoyne et al. Suit for strike from defendant and confirmed and decreed.

It appearing to the Court that John Marshall, one of the Grand Jurors heretofore impaneled and sworn, is unable to attend by reason of sickness, it is ordered that Andrew Alexander be sworn in his stead.

In the matter of the First Presbyterian Church of Kirkwood, the sale made by the Trustees of their property to Nicholas Kuhn is approved and confirmed and decreed.

Wm. G. Allen vs. Harry A. Crymble. In partition. Report of commissioners appraising property at \$635 approved, and plaintiff elected to take the property at the appraisement. Decree ordered.

B. H. Linton vs. John B. Busbey; judgment by confession in favor of plaintiff for \$113.65.

It appearing to the Court that the same necessary, it is ordered that the Clerk and Sheriff draw from the box the names of four persons returned as jurors to be summoned to appear March 12, 1888, to serve as petit jurors.

Joseph N. Bridgman vs. The City of Belaire. Suit for damages; verdict in favor of plaintiff for \$50. Notice of motion by defendant to set aside verdict and for a new trial.

Ohio Valley Glass Co. vs. Cincinnati Mutual Fire Insurance Co., Cincinnati. Plaintiff required to give security for costs in twenty days.

The Pennsylvania Co. vs. The Cleveland, Lorain and Wheeling Railroad Co. Petition in error dismissed at costs of plaintiff.

Lydia M. Green vs. Conrad Neff et al. N. K. Kennon appointed guardian ad litem for David Neff, a minor defendant. No indictments having been found by the Grand Jury against L. M. Johnson and James Nichols, it is ordered that they be discharged.

Ruth Ann Perkins vs. R. W. James, assignee. Judgment against defendant as assignee of Wm. Perkins & Son for \$380.50.

Harry W. Schramm vs. Israel Workman, joint promisors by agreement and defendant for \$100. Local Union No. 15 American Flint Glass Workers' Union of Martin's Ferry, O.; vs. Richard Fowler et al. Finding in favor of plaintiff for \$482.86. Decree of foreclosure and order of sale.

John Fischer vs. W. K. Kinney; judgment against defendant for \$127.25. James W. Ferrell vs. David Kull, Jr.; judgment against defendant for \$12.

of not guilty withdrawn and plea of guilty entered; sentenced to one year in penitentiary.

Ohio vs. Horace Nichols. Two indictments for selling liquor to a person in the habit of getting intoxicated; defendant entered into a recognizance in sum of \$100 in each case for his appearance.

Ohio vs. Henry Bolte. Selling liquor to a minor, selling to a person in the habit, &c.;—two indictments; plea of "not guilty"; recognized in sum of \$100.

Ohio vs. Conrad Rumbach. Selling to a person in the habit, &c.; Plea not guilty; recognizance \$100.

Ohio vs. Edward Platt. Selling liquor to a person in the habit, &c.; plea of not guilty; recognizance \$100.

Thos. A. Fred et al. vs. John Gladden. Cause settled and dismissed, each party to pay his own costs.

Wm. H. Warren vs. The Ohio and West Va. Oil Co. Judgment by default in favor of plaintiff for \$694.10 and order for sale of attached property.

Wm. H. Neptune vs. John G. Elliott, sale to Wm. H. Neptune approved and decreed.

Dr. J. D. Holensack, of Martin's Ferry, allowed \$50 for post mortem examination on body of unknown infant, Nov. 26, 1887.

Ellis J. Hoyle et al. vs. Hoyle Jones Manufacturing Co. Finding due plaintiff \$4,391.33; decree of foreclosure.

Ohio vs. John Chipper. Furnishing liquor to a minor. Plea "guilty"; sentenced imprisonment ten days, fine \$35.

Ohio vs. Wm. Mont. Furnishing liquor to a minor. Plea "guilty"; jail ten days, fine \$20.

Ohio vs. John McAndrews. Furnishing liquor to a person in the habit of getting intoxicated; plea "guilty"; jail ten days, fine \$20.

Ohio vs. Samuel Olford. Suffering game to be played; plea of "not guilty"; recognizance \$100.

Ohio vs. Edw. Ames. Suffering game to be played, keeping place open and selling on Sunday, selling liquor to a person in the habit of getting intoxicated. Recognizance \$100 in each case.

Ohio vs. Thos. Collins—6 indictments; 2 Keeping open and selling on Sunday; 2 Selling to a minor, suffering game to be played; Selling to a person in the habit, &c.; Recognizance \$100 in each case.

Ohio vs. Emil Schmitt. Selling to a person in the habit, &c.—2 indictments. Recognizance \$100 in each case.

FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.

COLERAIN. The weather still continues cold, and but little outside work has been done except in the sugar camps. The snow is well above the average and of excellent quality.

The miners at Kidd are still off, with no prospect of work. It is intimated that these works will go into the hands of a new company at an early day.

Among the new improvements at Maynard will be the erection of forty new dwellings; the Company expects to put on a force of 400 men.

Parker Anderson, Jr., of near St. Clairsville, closed an interesting term of school at Hogue's school house last Friday. A good dinner and treat were gotten up by the families and teacher.

A programme consisting of dialogues, declamations, music, and a paper christened "The Independent," entertained the audience in good style. Mr. Anderson is an excellent teacher, and left with the good will of all his pupils.

Isaac Taylor, of near Farmington will dispose of his personal property, and will start a store at Jobtown.

Joseph Russell, of near Pleasant Grove, sold his personal property last Tuesday and will move to his new residence at the village of Colerain.

Wm. Harper, an aged man of near Kidd, died last Sabbath, from nervous prostration. His funeral occurred Tuesday morning, and was largely attended.

Rev. Pringle, of Mt. Pleasant, conducted the services. His remains were laid to rest in the Scotch Ridge cemetery, by the side of his six children, who all died with diphtheria. An aged wife, who is in very delicate health, and two children, mourn his loss.

Joseph Anderson, of Kidd, bid farewell to friends last week, and started to Red Cloud, Neb., to grow up with the country, and to secure a supply of Uncle Sam's small change.

Local option would give Maynard a grand boom, and would bring a better class of miners into the township.

The past few weeks have been very busy in the growing wheat, and a large per cent. of it is badly frozen out. The prospect for a good fruit crop is encouraging.

Wm. Henderson still continues very low, with no prospect of his recovery.

COUNTRY COUSIN.

UNIONTOWN. Josiah Suedeker sold his nice farm one-half mile north of town, to Mr. Jas. B. Ritchey, for \$80 per acre. Mr. S. will remove to Bannock about the 1st of April, and will offer his personal property at public sale. This is a new farm, and everything was arranged for convenience and comfort. The care of the farm and stock was too much of a burden for Mr. Suedeker, and he thought best to dispose of it.

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